



## Diana Tordoff

Instructor, Obstetrics & Gynecology - General

### Bio

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#### BIO

Diana M. Tordoff, PhD, MPH is an epidemiologist whose research focuses on LGBTQ+ health equity. Dr. Tordoff completed her PhD and MPH in Epidemiology and received a BA with honors in Mathematics from Vassar College. She has been PI on several NIH funded studies focused on the sexual health of transgender populations, and currently is PI on a study exploring the impact of testosterone gender affirming hormones on the vaginal microenvironment and gynecological health of transmasculine adults. She is also an affiliated researcher with The PRIDE Study ([pridestudy.org](http://pridestudy.org)), where she recently completed a postdoctoral fellowship. Dr. Tordoff has over ten years of experience working with and within LGBTQ+ communities. Her research interests include sexual and reproductive health, the vaginal microbiome, molecular epidemiology, intersectionality, and community-engaged research methods.

#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Instructor, Obstetrics & Gynecology - General
- Member, Maternal & Child Health Research Institute (MCHRI)

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- Mentored Research Scientist Career Development Award (K01AI182507), National Institutes of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (2024-2029)
- Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award Individual Predoctoral Fellowship (F31AI152542), National Institutes of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (2020-2022)

#### LINKS

- Personal Website: <http://www.dianatordoll.com>
- PRIDE Study Profile: <https://pridestudy.org/team>

### Publications

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#### PUBLICATIONS

- **Comparing Two-Step Approaches to Measuring Gender Identity: The Reliability and Applications of Asking About Sex Assigned at Birth versus Transgender Self-Identification.** *American journal of epidemiology*  
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- **Parenthood and the Physical and Mental Health of Sexual and Gender Minority Parents: A Cross-Sectional, Observational Analysis from The PRIDE Study.** *Annals of epidemiology*  
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- **Including transgender populations in mathematical models for HIV treatment and prevention: current barriers and policy implications.** *Journal of the International AIDS Society*  
Tordoff, D. M., Restar, A., Minalga, B., Fernandez, A., Dimitrov, D., Duerr, A.  
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- **Family building and pregnancy experiences of cisgender sexual minority women.** *AJOG global reports*  
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